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L. H. J. or their privity or consent, before his, or their election, directly or indirectly give, present, or allow to any person having a voice or vote in such election, any money, meat, drink, entertainment, or provision, or make any present, gift, reward, or entertainment, or any promise. agreement, obligation, or engagement, to give or allow any money, meat, drink, provision, present, reward, or entertainment, whatsoever, in order to be elected, or for being elected, will declare the election of such person void

The question was put whether the following resolve, viz.t Also resolved, that if any person whatsoever, shall hereafter, after the test or issuing of the writ of election, or after the place of any member becomes vacant, directly or indirectly, on the behalf of, or with the privity or consent of any person, or persons, hereafter to be elected to serve in assembly, give, present or allow, to any person having a voice or vote, any money, meat, drink, entertainment or provision, or shall make any present, gift, reward, or provision, or make any promise, agreement, obligation, or engagement, to give, or allow, any money, meat, drink, provision, present reward, or entertainment whatsoever, in order to procure the election, or for the election of any person, or persons, hereafter to be elected to serve in assembly; such person shall be deemed guilty of bribery, and of a breach of the privileges of this house, and this house will punish the same accordingly; be agreed to? Resolved in the affirmative

	For the affirmative		
Ringgold Chase Johnson Parran Gantt	Grahame Ware Dickinson Goldsborough M. Tilghman	Paca Selbey Purnell Allen Cresap	[15]
	For the negative		
Eden  L. Key  W. Thomas  Buchannan  Gresham	Worthington Griffith Mackall Harrison N. Thomas	Steele Tyler Hall Wright	[14]

Ordered, that the above resolves be standing rules in this house, and that they be printed in the Maryland gazette

Resolved that M. speaker, attended by the whole house, do present the address to his excellency

Ordered, That his excellency's message of the 20.th, and the answer p. 551 thereto, be printed in the Maryland gazette

Ordered, That the bill entitled an act for licensing ordinary keepers, hawkers, pedlars, and petty-chapmen, be printed immediately